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Chief, Site Investigation and Compliance Branch  
Emergency and Remedial Response Division  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
26 Federal Plaza  
New York, NY 10278

Attn: Nigel Robinson

Re: Asbestos Disposal Sites

Dear Mr. Robinson:

As per our phone conversation on December 10, 1986, I am writing to inform you of the need to conduct further investigations at the Great Swamp Site. The need for further work is a result of our concern over reports that drums were allegedly buried at the site and our site reconnaissance work during test boring and well installation operations. The work to be performed includes conducting a metal detection survey, constructing test pits at selected locations where metal is detected to determine if drums are present, and characterizing the waste materials if drums are found.

In order for us to submit a timely and complete feasibility study, this work needs to be performed now. As a result, our timetable for submittal of the Remedial Investigation Report will be delayed. We will be submitting an amendment to the Site Operations Plan by December 15, 1986 and would like your approval as soon as possible, so that we can begin work before the weather becomes worse.

I will be calling to set up an appointment with you and Ray Basso to discuss this amendment in the near future. We look forward to your timely approval.

Sincerely,

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